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Bandelier National Monument

Working with New Mexico

By the Numbers

Almost every American city and town claims a little bit of the National Park Service. Communities invite us to help them. Together we build trails and playgrounds, return historic buildings to productive use, revitalize neighborhoods, expand affordable housing, protect watersheds, recognize and promote local history, and introduce the next generation to stewardship opportunities. When we combine our expertise and resources we can accomplish great things.

13 national parks

1,657,550 visitors to national parks (in 2010)

\$62,474,000 economic benefit from national park tourism (in 2009)

1,085 National Register of Historic Places listings

\$36,133,974 of historic rehabilitation projects stimulated by tax incentives (since 1995)

78,440 hours donated by volunteers (in 2010)

1 National Heritage Areas

12 National Natural Landmarks

44 National Historic Landmarks

\$40,936,429 in Land & Water Conservation Fund grants (since 1965)

1,800 federal acres transferred for local parks and recreation (since 1948)

\$24,280,611 in historic preservation grants

48 community conservation and recreation projects (since 1987)

3 World Heritage Sites

266 historic places documented by the National Park Service

5,909,564 objects in national park museum collections

12 threatened and endangered species in national parks

8,694 archeological sites in national parks

8 Certified Local Governments

4 Teaching with Historic Places lesson plans

3 Discover Our Shared Heritage travel itineraries

These numbers are just a sample of the National Park Service's work. Figures updated 12/2010.

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The National Park Service cares for special places saved by the American people so that all may experience our heritage.